Referral to the Coordination Group under Article 35 of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012

Executive summary

Type of referral: Referral of a disagreement on the conclusions of the assessment report or on the revised summary of the biocidal product characteristics, in accordance with Delegated Regulation (EU) No 492/2014 on the renewal of authorisations subject to mutual recognition in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012

Case type: NA-RNL

Reference Member State (rMS): Italy

Initiating concerned Member State (iCMS): France

Other Concerned Member States (CMSs): Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Spain,

Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Lithuania, Poland, Portugal and Romania.

Product type(s): 14

Active substance(s): Brodifacoum

Brief summary of the points of disagreement:

The risk assessment for groundwater shows that the PEC values calculated for open areas exceed the threshold value of $0.1\mu g/L$. A refined assessment with FOCUS should be performed.

Outcome of the discussion within the Coordination Group (CG):

CG members agreed by consensus on 7 March that:

A groundwater risk assessment has been performed and is included in the PAR.

The product meets the condition for granting an authorisation in Article 19(1)(b)(ii) of the BPR. This formal referral is therefore closed.